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SUBJECT: US/EC POULTRY AND DAIRY CONSULTATIONS

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(C) STATE 279280

1. RE PARA. 1 REF (A) WE WOULD PREFER HOLDING POULTRY
DISCUSSIONS ON JANUARY 17.

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2. RE PARA. 2 REF (A), DATES OF JANUARY 15 AND 16 PROPOSED FOR DISCUSSIONS OF CHEESE PROBLEM ARE ACCEPTABLE. AS NOTED REF (C), WE VIEW THIS INITIAL ROUND OF DISCUSSIONS OF CHEESE PROBLEM AS FOCUSING ON TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF DAIRY SITUATION, PARTICULARLY MARKETING CONDITIONS, AND U.S. TEAM COMPOSITION REFLECTS THIS VIEW. WE DO, HOWEVER, RECOGNIZE INTERNAL PRESSURE ON COMMISSION TO ENGAGE IN MORE GENERAL DISCUSSION OF CHEESE PROBLEM INCLUDING LONG-RANGE POLICY ASPECTS. WE HOPE MEET THIS COMMISSION REQUIREMENT BY HOLDING HIGHER LEVEL TALKS ON POLICY ASPECTS, PERHAPS AS EARLY AS WEEK OF JANUARY 20.

3. GIVEN ABOVE, WE WOULD STILL PREFER HOLD TECHNICAL TALKS ON CHEESE PROBLEM JANUARY 15 AND 16 AND TECHNICAL TALKS ON POULTRY JANUARY 17. IF COMMISSION STILL FEELS THAT MORE GENERAL TALKS ON CHEESE REQUIRED DURING JANUARY 15-16-17 MEETINGS, INCLUDING MEETING WITH RABOT AND HIJZEN, WE WILL OF COURSE BE WILLING TO MEET WITH THEM. IN THAT CASE, HOWEVER, WE WOULD THEN PREFER TECHNICAL TALKS ON CHEESE ON JANUARY 15, TECHNICAL TALKS ON POULTRY ON JANUARY 16 AND GENERAL DISCUSSION OF BOTH CHEESE AND POULTRY ON JANUARY 17. COMMISSION SHOULD BE AWARE, HOWEVER, THAT IF COMMISSION RAISES MORE GENERAL ISSUES ON CHEESE, U.S. SIDE WILL NOT BE IN POSITION TO NEGOTIATE, BUT ONLY TO RECEIVE COMMISSION VIEWS ON HOW LONG-RANGE PROBLEM MAY BEST BE SOLVED. FOR THESE DISCUSSIONS ANDERSON, FAS, WILL CHAIR FOR U.S. SIDE IN TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS ON BOTH POULTRY AND CHEESE AND CLARK, STATE, WILL CHAIR IF MORE GENERAL POLICY DISCUSSIONS REQUIRED.

4. U.S. SIDE WILL BE COMPOSED OF FOLLOWING MEMBERS:
ROLLAND E. ANDERSON, DIRECTOR, DAIRY POULTRY DIVISION,
FAS; WILLIAM CLARK, JR., CHIEF, SPECIAL TRADE ACTIVITIES
AND COMMERCIAL TREATIES DIVISION, DEPARTMENT OF STATE;
STEVE LANDE, DIRECTOR FOR OPERATIONS, STR; WILLIAM E.
BARREDA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF TRADE POLICY,
TREASURY; KEISTER N. ADAMS, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, COMMODITY
OPERATIONS DIVISION, AGRICULTURE STABILIZATION AND
CONSERVATION SERVICE.

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5. EMBASSY REQUESTED TO MAKE FOLLOWING RESERVATIONS:

A) TWO SINGLES EUROPA FOR NIGHTS OF 14, 15, 16 AND 17 FOR
ANDERSON AND ADAMS;

B) TWO SINGLES SAN MICHAEL NIGHTS 14, 15, 16, AND 17 FOR
CLARK AND BARREDA;

C) ONE SINGLE SAN MICHAEL NIGHTS OF 16 AND 17 FOR LANDE.

6. ANDERSON, CLARK, BARREDA AND ADAMS PLANNING ARRIVE
BRUSSELS MID-DAY JANUARY 14 AND LANDE WILL ARRIVE MORNING
JANUARY 16. KISSINGER

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